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Via Facsimile

Hon. Barbara S. Jones
United States District Judge
United States District Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
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Re: Leslie Dick Worldwide Ltd., et al. v. George Soros, et al., Case No. 08 Civ. 7900

Dear Judge Jones:

We represent defendant Donald J. Trump ("Trump") in the above-captioned action. We write to seek Your Honor's approval of a proposed briefing schedule for Trump's motion to dismiss plaintiffs' Amended Complaint. As Your Honor may be aware, although all other defendants in this action have already moved to dismiss the Amended Complaint and are working under a separate Court approved briefing schedule, Trump's proposed motion to dismiss plaintiffs' original complaint was stayed by Magistrate Judge Katz on December 12, 2008 (Docket No. 76), pending resolution of plaintiffs' motion to disqualify Phillips Nizer LLP from acting as Trump's counsel in this case (which stay Magistrate Judge Katz also applied to Trump's motion to dismiss plaintiffs' Amended Complaint) (Docket No. 122).

Magistrate Judge Katz denied plaintiffs' motion to disqualify Phillips Nizer LLP on July 22, 2009 (Docket No. 147). We have since had several discussions with plaintiffs' counsel, David Relkin, in an attempt to set a briefing schedule. Although Mr. Relkin has stated that he is not opposed to the dates we proposed (set forth below), he refuses to agree to any schedule until he receives a response from the Court to his July 30, 2009 letter.

Accordingly, we hereby request that the Court approve the following briefing schedule for Trump's motion to dismiss, which schedule we previously discussed with Mr. Relkin:

Trump's motion to dismiss shall be filed on or before September 15, 2009.

Plaintiffs' opposition papers shall be filed on or before October 15, 2009.

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Trump's reply papers shall be filed on or before October 30, 2009.

We respectfully request that the Court approve the above-referenced briefing schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

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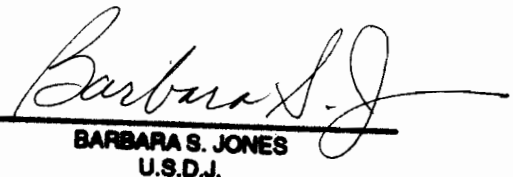
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APPLICATION GRANTED.

SO ORDERED
Dated:


BARBARA S. JONES
U.S.D.J.

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